



Lenovo B575-1450 CD-ROM Drive Replacement

This guide will go through the steps necessary to removing the CD-ROM drive from the Lenovo B575-1450

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INTRODUCTION

The CD-ROM drive is fairly easy to locate and replace if it is no longer working.



TOOLS:

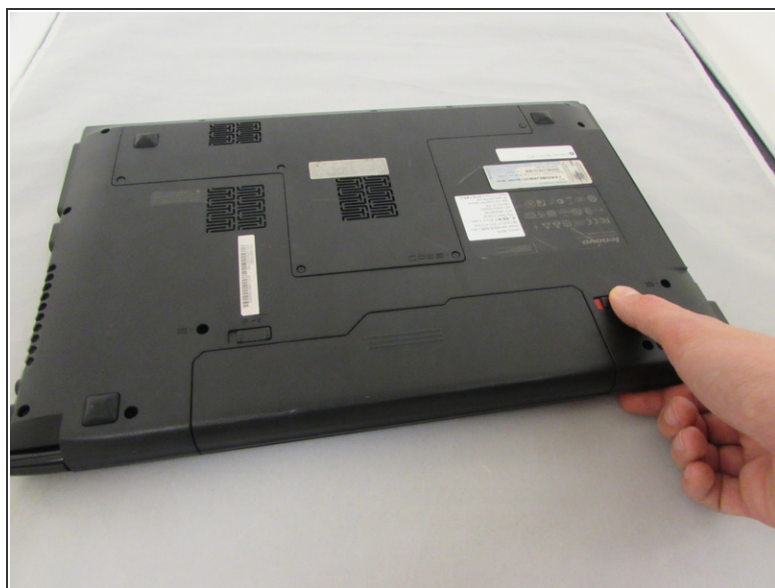
- [Phillips #00 Screwdriver](#) (1)
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Step 1 — Battery



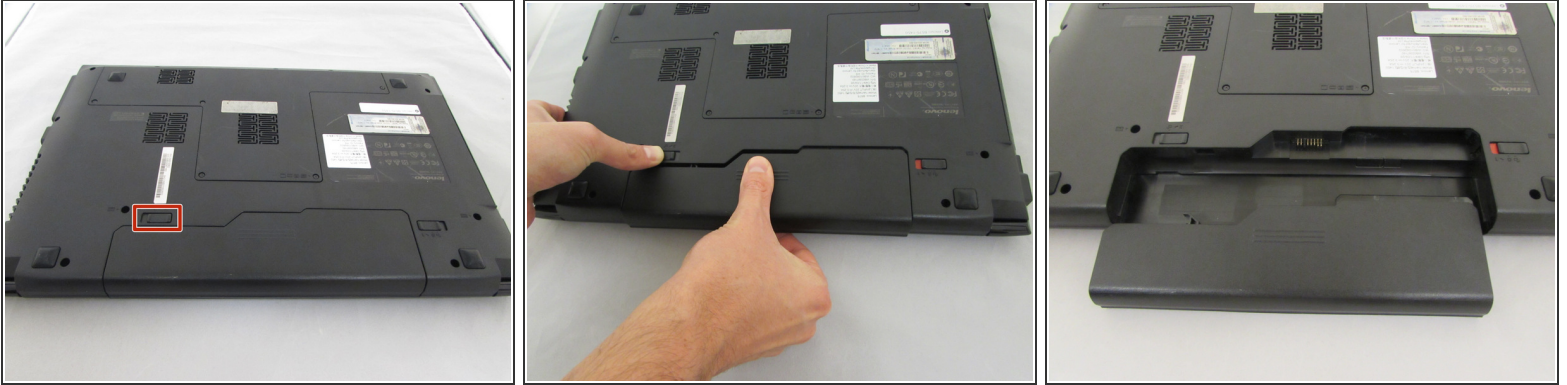
- Turn off the computer.
- Disconnect the charger from the computer.
- Flip the computer upside down.

Step 2



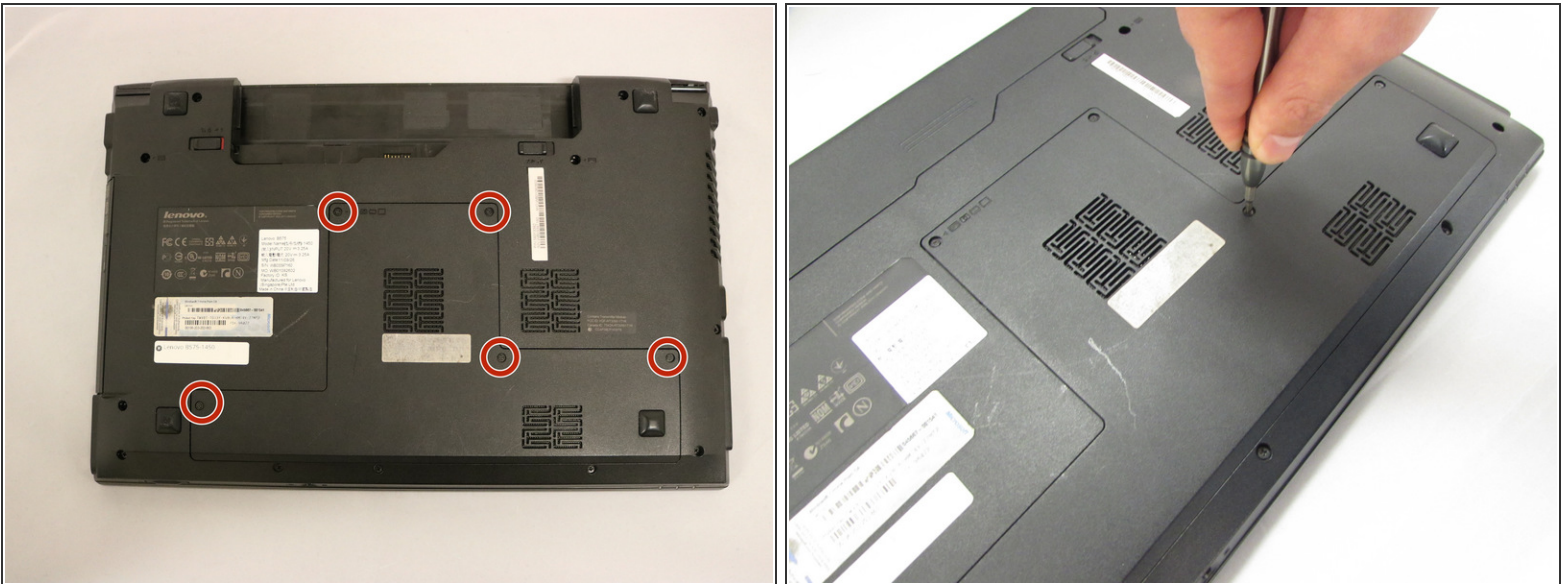
- Push the right-hand switch outward into the "unlocked" position.

Step 3



- While holding the battery, use your other hand to push the left clip to the left and pull the battery out.

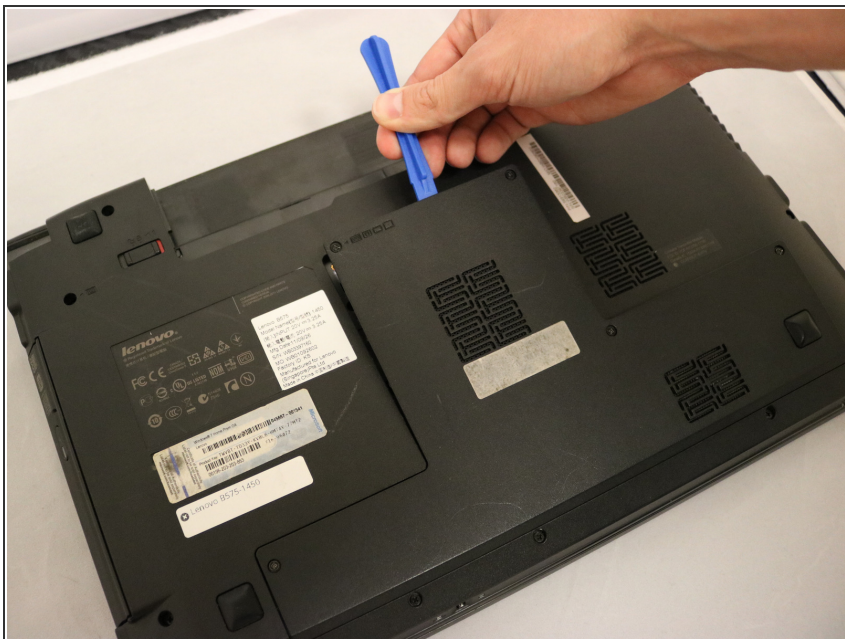
Step 4 — Back Panel



i The screws are captive to the back panel so they are not to be removed.

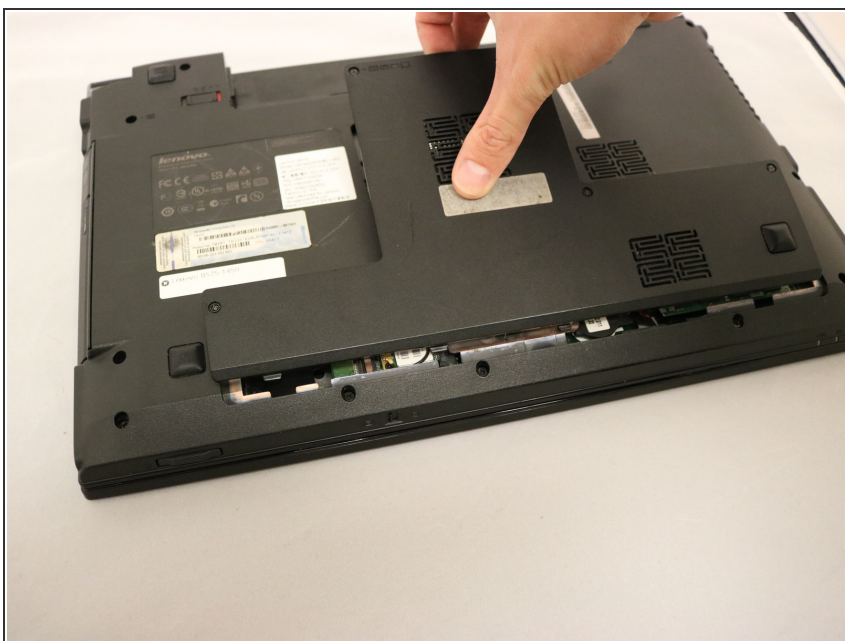
- Using the Phillips #00 Screwdriver, Loosen the five 5.4 mm screws around the back panel from the laptop.

Step 5



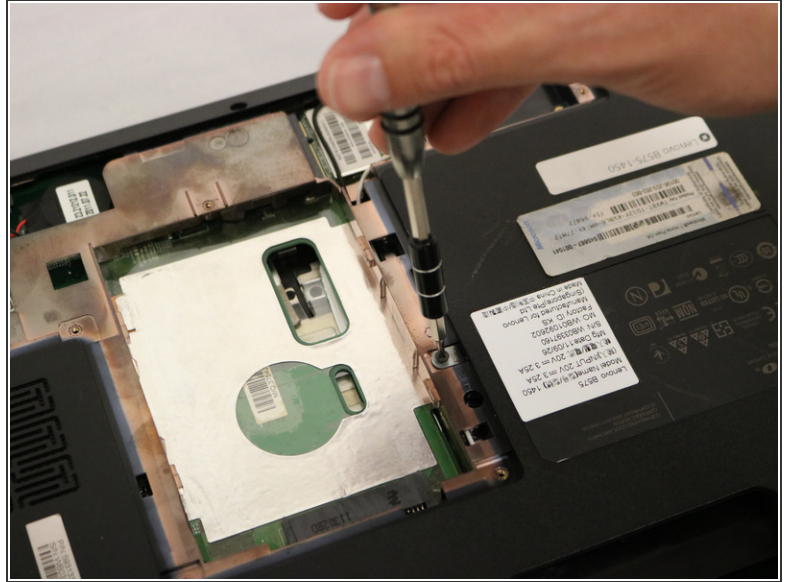
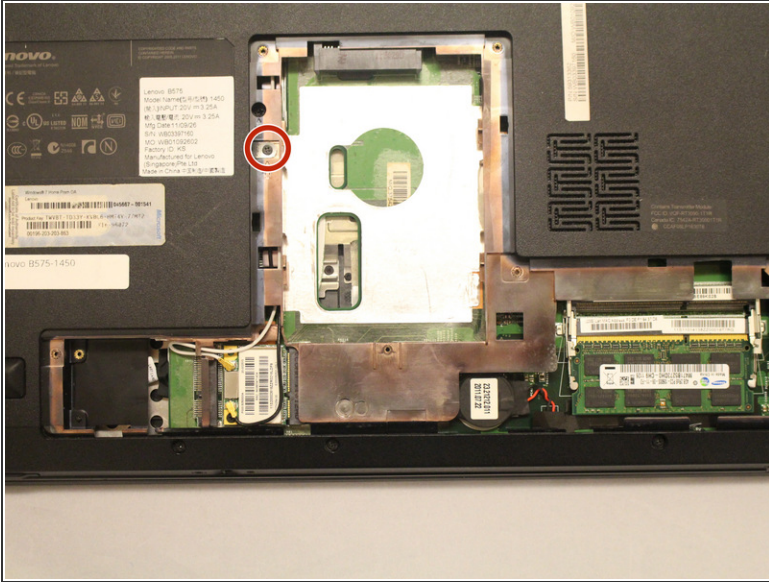
- Using a plastic opening tool, pry the back panel from the laptop.

Step 6



- Pull the panel outward from the rest of the laptop. The inside of the laptop will be exposed. From here you can access the CD-ROM drive, hard drive, and Keyboard.

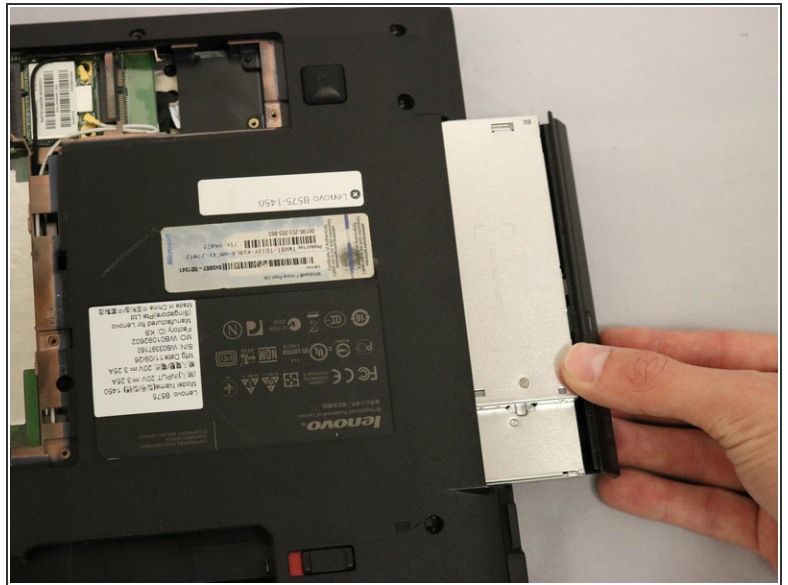
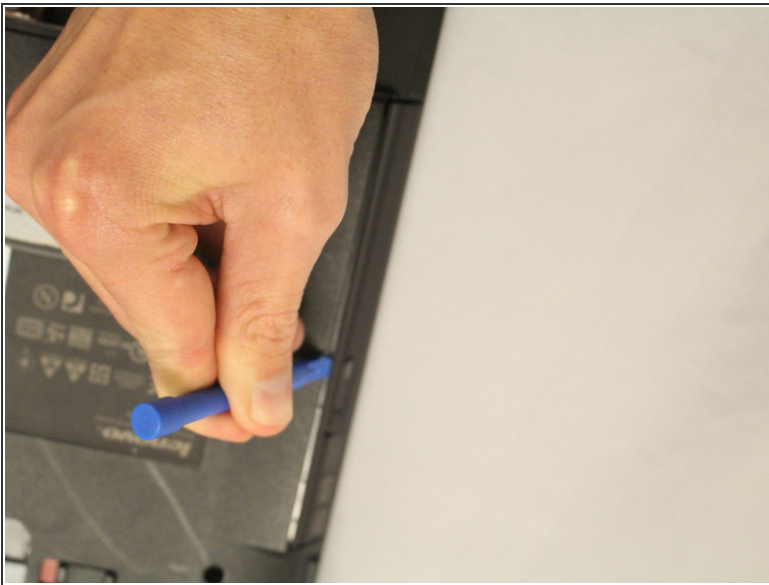
Step 7 — CD-ROM Drive



- Using the Phillips #00 Screwdriver, remove the 3.4 mm screw from the CD-ROM bracket.

i This unlocks the CD-ROM drive from the computer

Step 8



- Pry CD-ROM drive from laptop using a plastic opening tool.
- Pull the CD-ROM drive the rest of the way out.

To reassemble your device, follow these instructions in reverse order.

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